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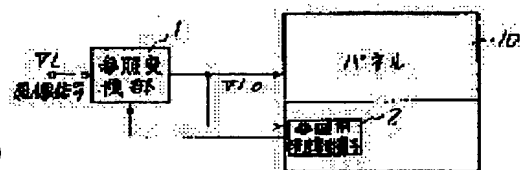
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## (54) IMAGE DISPLAY DEVICE AND ITS DRIVING METHOD

## (57)Abstract:

**PURPOSE:** To obtain the brightness of a thin-film pixel element faithful to input video signals by specifying input voltage and the current flowing to a nonlinear element for controlling light emission to a primary proportional relation.

**CONSTITUTION:** This image display element has, in every one pixel, the thin-film pixel element, the nonlinear element for controlling the light emission of the thin-film pixel element, a capacitor for signal holding connected to the gate electrode of the nonlinear element, a nonlinear element for writing data to this capacitor, a second nonlinear element 2 having the characteristics similar to the characteristics of the nonlinear element for controlling light emission and a reference conversion section 1 for inputting the image signal  $V_{Lo}$  adjusted by referring to the output of the second nonlinear element 2 to the nonlinear element for controlling light emission.



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